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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: M. Seul et al. Serial No. 09/448,420	)	JAN 1 5 2004
	) Croup Art Unit: 1639 ) Examiner: P. Ponnaluri	
For: Color-Encoding and in-situ Interrogation of Matrix-Coupled	)	
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Commissioner for Patents	-	
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## **Brief on Appeal**

Dear Sir:

Please consider the following Brief on Appeal.

Real Parties in Interest.

The assignees of this application are BioArray Solutions, Etd. of Warren, New Jersey and

Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey.

Related Appeals and Interferences.

There are none.

Status of Claims.

Claims 1 to 128 have been canceled.

Claims 129-152, 154-166 and 168-174 are pending.

Claims 152, 153 and 167 have been withdrawn from consideration.

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